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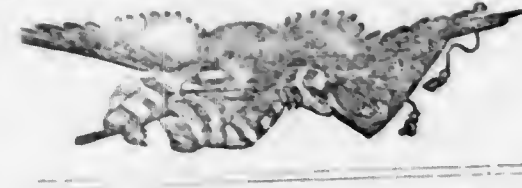
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BUSINESS CARDS.

The Valley Herald

Official County Paper.

BY F. E. DU TOIT.



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Hastings Railroad.

The amendment offered by Senator Smith relieving the Company from taking the points of Shakopee, Chaska, Carver and Waconia was defeated in the Senate. But an extension of time one year was granted them for completing 10 miles of the road west of the Representative McDonald the chief representative of Scott has introduced an amendment to the bill in the House, as yet we are not aware of its passage.

Legislative Topics

A bill was introduced in the Senate yesterday, that if enacted into a law, it will undoubtedly prove advantageous to a State. It requires the Assistant Secretary of State to collect of district, county, city and town officers statistics of population, and to report the same to the Legislature each year. The value and importance of such a report is too obvious to need mention. As the day fixed is \$800, the expense is quite small in comparison to the information that can be obtained from the report. Two bills, one in the House and one in the Senate, in regard to the support of soldiers' orphans. Both contemplate having them in the two asylums in this city.

In the Senate, \$300,000 were appropriated to complete the Insane Hospital buildings of St. Peter; \$300,000 for the Normal School building at Mankato; \$10,000 for the Deaf and Dumb Asylum at Faribault; \$10,000 for the St. Cloud Normal School.

The majority and minority reports presented to the Senate on Thursday, the joint special committee on State and local bonds and Internal Improvement Lands, were pretty thoroughly discussed in the committee of the whole, and upon being reported back to the Senate, both reports were laid on the table for future consideration. An abstract of the discussion will be found in the legislative proceedings.

In the House, the bill asking an extension of time for the completion of the Hastings and Dakota Railroad underwent considerable discussion, and was finally sent to the Railroad committee. Mr. Folson's bill which in substance is intended to compel the authorities of towns and cities to admit all our public school colored pupils, was crowded through the House. If colored pupils are sent apart and taught in one building and the white children in another, the district will be deprived of a portion of the school fund.

The woman's suffrage bill was finally killed in the House. On the test vote there were a good many dry faces, and some of the members are said to have voted against it in consequence of certain lectures from their wives. Some of these ladies took the liberty of telling their "lords" they were making fools of themselves by voting for it.

After having voted both ways in regard to making the Superintendent of Public Instruction elective, one day voting one way and the same day reversing the vote, the House yesterday voted that the people should elect that officer. According to the precedent established by this legislative body, the vote should be "reconsidered" to-day.

Gen. Grant's Military Staff, and what will become of them.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—If Gen. Sherman should not reappoint the staff officers of the General in Chief, General Rawlins will still remain as Brigadier General. It is believed that he will be nominated to some good staff position; General Badeau will fall back on his commission as first Lieutenant of the 11th Infantry; and General Porter will fall back to Major of the Ordnance Department; General Constock will be Major of the Ordnance Department; General Custer will be Major of the Engineer Corps; General Babcock will be also a Major in the Engineer Corps; Colonel Parker will be First Lieutenant of the Second Cavalry; Gen. Dunt will become a Major of the Fourteenth Infantry, but will, it is thought, go with the President to the White House; Colonel Lee will continue as Major in the Adjutant General's Department; and Col. Webster will be assigned to some post in the Quartermaster's Department.

A prize fight took place Friday afternoon in Herring Run, near Baltimore, between Newton Montgomery and Peter Joyce, for \$200 a side. Thirty-three rounds were fought in 55 minutes. Montgomery was declared the winner.

HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the arrival of trains at Merriam Station:

Up Trains: 7:15 A. M., 1:30 P. M., 5:30 P. M.
Down Trains: 8:00 A. M., 3:30 P. M., 7:15 P. M.

J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

MERRIAM STATION.—The following is an abstract of commodities received and forwarded from Merriam Station during the month of February.

RECEIVED.		
Merchandise lbs.	53,563	
Lumber	399,000	
Iron and Hardware lbs	19,000	
30 Seeders	16,200	
2 Reapers	2,300	
30 Plows	2,480	
Total weight received.	492,845	
FORWARDED.		
Merchandise lbs.	5,955	
Wheat	195,330	
Flour	210,000	
Dressed Hogs	6,345	
Hoop-poles	20,000	
Barley	7,575	
Butter	2,055	
Eggs	3,415	
Wood	200	
Hides	1,135	
Furs and Peltries lbs	950	
Lard	70	
Hugs	20	
Total weight received	453,430	
Grand total	946,275.	

PERSONAL.

We met a host of friends in town during the past week. Some in attendance upon the Board of County Commissioners and others at the Teachers Convention.

Leonard Str. of Benton; H. J. Peck of Watertown; Matthew Kelly of Hollywood; Edward Reuss of Benton; G. M. Powers of Chaska and others too numerous to mention. Call again agents, the Herald establishment is always glad to see friends.

Teachers Convention.

MONDAY March 1st 1892

Meeting called to order at 2 o'clock P. M. by Jean De Ville. Mr. Dray elected chairman and Chas. Allen Sec. A Committee of five appointed to draft constitution and by-laws.

Discussion on government of school by Powers, Benson De Ville Peck and Murray. Discussion on reading by De Ville Powers and Murray. Miss Ella Smith consents to exercise a class in reading according to Normal method at 2 o'clock on Tuesday. Discussion on Arithmetic by Benson, De Ville and Murray. Adjourned to 7 o'clock P. M.—Evening.

Called to order at 7 o'clock. Arithmetic resumed, discussed by Peck and De Ville. Miss Ella Smith exercises a class in arithmetic according to Normal method. Reading by De Ville, declaration by Peck and Sargent. Reading and remarks by Rev. Mr. Reineke. Speech by Mr. Young. A vote of thanks given to Miss. Ella Smith for her excellent exposition of the Normal method of teaching arithmetic. "Old Hundred" sung. Adjourned till 9 o'clock A. M. Tuesday.

Tuesday—meeting called to order at 10 o'clock. Committee on Constitution and by laws report, the Constitution and by-laws approved and adopted.

Permanent organization, G. M. Powers elected President and Leonard Strouken Vice President and Chas. Allen Secy. Music by Mrs. Murray. Discussion on the Co. Superintendency by Peck and Benson. Discussion on the best method of teaching Geography. Adjourned to 11 o'clock P. M. Afternoon, called to order at 1 o'clock P. M. Geography resumed, remarks by De Ville and Allen.

For reading is taught in Normal Schools, a class exercised in reading by Miss. Ella Smith, assisted with great interest. Discussion on Grammar by Murray, De Ville, Peck, Warner and Powers. Adjourned to 7 o'clock P. M. Evening, called to order at 7 o'clock P. M. Grammar resumed, Music, "Wearing of the Green" by Mrs. Thompson. Declaration by De Ville and Peck. Reading by De Ville (Raven.) Vote of thanks to American ladies of Chaska for their hospitality to members of the association. Vote of thanks to Rev. Mr. Reineke for use of room piano. Vote of thanks to Du Toit for advertisements. Vote of thanks to De Ville for his energy in bringing the association together. De Ville, Murray and Allen a Committee to prepare a programme for next meeting. Music—adjourned.

CHAS. ALLEN, SECY.

Death of Ex Gov. SWIFT.

The Hon. Henry A. Swift, formerly president of the senate and governor pro tem. of this state, died at his residence in St. Peter on Thursday last. He had been sick for some time, and apparently almost recovered, but suffered a relapse which proved fatal. He was an old citizen, of estimable character, and his untimely demise is a public misfortune. At the time of his death he was holding the office of register in the land office in that town.

PLUGH FACTORY.

We call attention to the card of Mr. F. Lutz of Waconia which appears in another column. We have seen some of the plows manufactured and also persons using the same, and they pronounce their equal in every respect to foreign manufacture. Mr. Lutz sells them as cheap as they can be bought at St. Paul. He also manufactures wagons and does blacksmithing of all kind. Give him a call and a trial and we guarantee satisfaction.

SCHOOL FUND.

According to the February apportionment of the state school fund made by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, we find that Carver County has 4,090 scholars, and entitled to \$1,636.00, an average of 40 cents per scholar.

FIRE.

We are informed by Commissioner Kelly of Hollywood, that the farm residence of Jas. Grattan, situated two miles from Watertown was burned down on last Monday. The family was away at the time; consequently nothing was saved. Another addition to insurance.

TEACHERS CONVENTION.

The proceedings of this Convention, reported by the Secretary appears in another column. We were unable to be present much of the time, but understand it was throughout an interesting affair.

Co. BOARD.

The County Commissioners were in session during the week, and adjourned on Thursday evening. The proceedings will appear next week.

So much of our time has been

taken up this week, with matters outside of our office; we are unable to give our usual quantity of news.

Let it be always remembered that

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Literary Notices.

THE LADY'S FRIEND, FOR MARCH.—The March number of this "Queen of the Monthlies," opens with a fine steel engraving called "In the Firelight," where fireless dreams are taking visible but ethereal shapes. This is followed by the usual handsome colored steel fashion plate, and by an amusing engraving of "Half an Hour too Early" (at the party). Then we have the usual large number of engravings devoted to the fashions, needle work, &c.

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ARTHUR HOME.

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MERRY'S MUSEUM.

The March number of this favorite magazine for young people is received. The publisher will send specimen numbers, with premium list, free, to any one wishing to examine this magazine. Address, Horace B. Fuller, Publisher, 14, Bromfield Street, Boston.

At a court martial lately, the following

dialogue is said to have taken place between one of the witnesses and the court: "Are you a Catholic?" "No, sir." "Are you a Protestant?" "No, sir." "What are you, then?" "Captain of the foretop."

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THE BOND QUESTION.

Mr. Marshall's act, refusing to sign the bond bill, is the concluding act in that gentleman's official history.

Year after year he has attempted to influence the Legislature and the State to make such provisions as would liquidate the claims of the bondholders against the State, and in 1857, amounting now, principal and interest to some \$2,500,000, he last Legislature, after having a wisdom from the action of the old propositions submitted to the Legislature, and a plan whereby the \$2,500,000 would be paid in annual installments of \$500,000 per year, he refused to sign the bill, and the Legislature, in its wisdom, has passed a bill to the effect that the bondholders should be paid in annual installments of \$500,000 per year, and the bill has been passed by the Legislature, and the Governor has signed it, and the bill is now a law.

Resolved—That hereafter no more than \$150 per day be allowed to persons assisting the County Surveyor in surveying County Roads.

Resolved—That from and after this date no more than 12 cents per mile be allowed as traveling fees to persons attending County Court and no more than 30 cents for each visit, also that no more than two dollars in any one week will be allowed for medicine to each patient.

This resolution to be and remain in force until otherwise ordered.

Resolved—That the County Auditor is hereby requested to make out an abstract of moneys paid to Factors during the year 1868, for attendance upon the Court of the County and cost of medicine during same period, and report to this Board at the June session next.

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Proceedings County Board.

March 20, 1869.

Bill of Dr. C. E. Rogers for medical attendance upon Mrs. Nifert a pauper, allowed, \$10.00

Bill of Dr. C. E. Rogers for medical attendance upon Livingston, allowed as usual, \$35.00

Bill of John Stenger for nursing Mary Mangles a pauper, \$14.00

Bills of Justice J. S. Letford for Justice Constable and witness fees allowed in the following cases:

State vs. Adam Haas, \$7.55

State vs. J. J. Buck, 60

State vs. Due, Rice, & Bangs, 56

\$8.71

On motion County Board adjourned until one o'clock p. m.

One (1) o'clock p. m. Board met pursuant to adjournment, members all present, called to order by the chairman.

Bill of Henry Gerdson School Exam- iner, allowed, \$20.00

Bill of Chas. J. Sorenson for Board- ing Julia Thompson, a pauper, allowed, 18.00

Bill of John Funk, for Laundry, al- lowed, \$11.98

Bill of G. A. Du Toit for medicine furnished to Fred. Foster family al- lowed, \$8.55

Resolved—That hereafter no more than \$150 per day be allowed to persons assisting the County Surveyor in surveying County Roads.

Bill of Dr. W. A. Griffin for medicine and medical attendance upon poor, al- lowed, \$30.60

Bill of Cornelius Stenon for chop- ping firewood for Saverkaul a pauper, allowed, \$1.25

Bill of Cornelius Stenon for chop- ping firewood for Saverkaul a pauper, allowed, \$2.50

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Bill of M. Kelly Co. Commissioner for visiting poor, allowed, \$3.00

The Sheriff is authorized to have broken chains in Court Room repaired and also to purchase a new lock for doors in said room.

Resolved—That the County Auditor is hereby authorized to correct the Tax Duplicate for 1868 of the East half of the North West quarter of Section 3, T. 116 R. 24 and reduce the valuation for 1868 according to reduced number of acres contained, according to the survey thereof by Mr. Warner.

Resolved—That Commrs. Kelly, Gotthelf and Rensse be a Committee to make a further examination for the location of the Bridge across Crow River in Section 15 Town of Camden.

Resolved—That the sum of Ten dol- lars be paid to Charles Bachmann for providing a plan for a bridge across Crow River in Section 15 town of Cam- den, provided that he will furnish a full specification of all the timber and Iron- work that is necessary for said Bridge. The further sum of \$5.00 is also ap- propriated out of the County fund to J. S. Letford for the plan furnished by him.

On motion Board adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m. to-morrow.

March 5th 1869, 9 o'clock a. m.

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, members all present, called to order by the chairman.

The Committee on the Road petition- ed for by Florian Linefelter and others for a change of the Chaska and Glencoe Road reported in favor of said petitioners report adopted and Commit- tee discharged.

A petition was presented signed by Edward Doyle and others for a change of the Watertown & Hutchinson Road in Hollywood commencing in Sect. 15 in said Town, referred to Commrs. Kelly, Rensse & Gotthelf as committee.

A petition was presented signed by John Dougherty and others for a change of the Watertown & Hutchinson Road, referred to Commrs. Kelly, Rensse & Gotthelf as committee.

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HOME ITEMS.

HERALD AGENT CARVER—G. A. Du Toit.

Time Table of M. V. R. R.

The following indicates the time for the ar- rival of trains at Meridian Station:

UP TRAINS..... 11:35 A. M. 6:10 P. M.

DOWN TRAINS..... 9:05 A. M. 5:05 P. M.

J. F. Lincoln, Supt.

Waterstown.

We found time last week, to throw up the cares and perplexities of "sanctum" life for the more genial and pleas- ant one of a short trip to the lively and enterprising village of Watertown.

It is, as most of our county readers know, situated upon the north bank of Crow river and already numbers a population of at least 500 souls. It has a large and well arranged public school with an efficient and good looking lady teacher, (we caught a glimpse of her) Miss Mary Couwell. The interest tak- ing in educational matters by the citi- zens of Watertown may be taken as an indication of their energy in everything pertaining to public and private improve- ments. It also contains a large and well managed Grist and Saw Mill, owned by Lincoln & Dressler, which is now driven to its utmost capacity, running both day and night, to meet with the require- ments of the large territory adjacent to Watertown.

It has also a large number of stores all of whom are doing a thriving busi- ness. A sure indication that the sub- ject of our sketch is thriving. First on our list is the large and elegant store of Louis Rausch. It is 24 x 50, 11 1/2 between joists, and well filled with Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps &c. Louis is doing a large and profitable business, and no one deserves better. Call and see him.

Next we find the Drug Emporium of the Messrs. Lyman & Tucker, of Min- neapolis, presided over by our friend Ernest Hamlin, who knows just how to manage business in its every depart- ment. We wish him and the firm suc- cess. Then follows in close succession the business houses of "Messrs. Flood, Cullen, Barrett, Barth, Campbell and Neek, each of whom are good and reli- able business men and command the confidence of their customers.

In the Medical profession we find Dr. C. B. Ames, who has recently become a resident of Watertown, but who, never- theless has already met with a meas- ure of success unexpected in so short a time. The Dr. has a good reputation as a practitioner and it is said cannot be excelled as a surgeon. His office at present is on the south side of the river. Dr. Grant is well known and needs no notice from us.

In the Hotel line we find the Water- town House conducted by Mr. Quinn, and the Union House, presided over by John Crouse. The traveler will find accommodation here for both man and beast.

H. J. Peck, he of the "law" is said to have a large and lucrative prac- tice. He was absent from town during our stay.

The HERALD has a host of friends in Watertown and we expect at no dis- tant day to still enlarge, and expect Wa- tertown to respond as usual.

PERSONAL.—It is almost impossible for us to enumerate the personal and political friends of the HERALD that were in town on private and public busi- ness during the past week. But still we will attempt an abridged list.

First we find our old friend Patrick Colbert of Hancock, followed up by Fritz Oberle of Laketown, and Thos. Barrett of Watertown. Then comes Wm. Moh- ler of Carver, H. J. Peck of Watertown, Jos. Weinman of Carver, John Ess, Thos. Host & Henry Asplen of Chan- nassee & a host of others that has slipped from our mind. We hope that they will not slight the HERALD office when in town for we are ever fond of company.

ACADEMY.—The new teachers, gen- tleman and lady are expected to day or to-morrow from Pennsylvania. It will be re opened after Easter. Terms per quarter, will be higher department \$10, and for the lower \$6.00 & \$4.00.

MEAN ACT.—We were informed by Mr. John Pearson that some person cut the reins and bridle straps of his har- ness while in town this week. It is a dastardly trick, and the perpetrator should be severely punished.

LEGAL FRATERNITY.—The follow- ing legal gentlemen from abroad were in attendance upon our District Court, Judge Chasfield Belle Plaine, L. M. & J. M. Brown Shakopee, H. J. Peck Watertown, Frank Warner Carver. Including Messrs Baxter and Sargent in the above list, in point of ability they could hardly be excelled by a like num- ber in the State.

Our new material has arrived from Chicago. Financial Statement next week.

District Court.

District Court convened last Monday and is still in ses- sion. The celebrated "scab" case from Scott County has occupied the atten- tion of Judges, Jury, Lawyers and au- dience thus far. We wish our Scott County neighbors would keep their "scabby" cases at home, as we have al- ready had little experience in "nut- tony" matters.

Several divorce cases were tried and bills of "separation" granted leaving the parties free to try their hands in the matter again.

The somewhat interesting case of Buck vs. Buck, will probably be tried to day.

VELOCIPEDE.—Mr. Abbott the Vel- ocipepe manufacturer of Chaska was out upon our streets on Wednesday, trying the speed of his machine and his skill. He performed very nicely not- withstanding the icy condition of the roads.

WEATHER.—March came in like a lion, how she will go out we do not know, but if the present weather is an indication, we should judge not favor- ably.

Packard's Monthly, for March, 1867 Broadway—

Contains a most interesting article from the pen of Horace Greeley, on Education, which is to be continued.

"The philosopher of the Tribune," starts off well, but who can calculate where he will pull up.

The Western Monthly for March is at hand, filled as usual with the choic- est of reading. Persons wishing a first class literary monthly can do no better than to subscribe for this one. Single numbers, 25 cts; \$2 per year. Address Reed & Tuttle, Publishers, 115 Mad- ison street, Chicago.

"Down with the tyrant" of ignorance that induces you to patronize worthless druggists and patent medicines (lard.) Only "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative" finds favor wherever it is used. That is the preparation to which a "silver medal" was awarded at the N. H. State Fair in 1866.—G. A. Du Toit, Agent.

Carver Items.

Our Special Correspondent.

PLANKTON HOUSE, MILWAUKEE.

We have been hesitating in pronounc- ing the "Plankton" the best Hotel in the Northwest, and in saying this we speak from experience. It was our good fortune to stop at this House several days when in Milwaukee, and we found it decidedly the best one in either Chi- cago or Milwaukee. The House is own- ed by Matthews Sage & Co., but is un- der the immediate charge of Mr. Mat- thews, a highly souled gentleman who spares no pains to make it pleasant for his guests. The Cashier Mr. L. B. Pear- son is an accommodating and agreeable gentleman, as is in fact all the attach- es of the House. They can accommodate 200 guests in good shape. The House was finished last September, and cost \$200,000. The furniture \$75,000, and is pleasantly situated on Spring Street. We hope that no Minnesota man will fail to stop at the "Plankton" when in Milwaukee. Enquire for "Matthews" and we guarantee you will be well cared for.

FIRE.—We hear that the house of John Brader in Boston, was entirely consumed by fire last week with its con- tents. There was a small fire in- surance on the building, but not enough to cover the loss. We did not hear how it caught fire.

APPTD.—Dr. C. E. Rogers of this place has been apptd "U. S. Pension Examiner" for this County. Those who wish to make applications for Pensions will please take notice and govern them- selves accordingly. His office is at the Drug Store of G. A. Du Toit.

LAW BUSINESS.—Law business be- fore Squire Johnson has been quite liv- ely for the last few weeks. Quite an ar- ray of legal talent was in town during the week.

PERSONAL.—Col. L. L. Baxter the able Representative from this Co. paid us a call on Wednesday last, looking fine after his 60 days siege at the Capitol.

F. E. Du Toit of the Herald and F. Hecklin Sheriff also called during the week.

Dr. E. Bray of Y. America was in town on Saturday.

DISTRICT SCHOOL.—The second term of our Dist. School commenced on Mon- day. Wm. Brown teacher. We un- derstand there is an average attendance of 50 scholars.

LECTURE.—There will be a Lecture at the German Methodist Church on Sunday evening next at 6 o'clock, by Geo. B. Holmes.

FURNITURE STORE.—John Shell has just rec'd. a new lot of Furniture of all descriptions. Call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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AN ACT to amend Section 194 of Chapter 8 of the General Statutes, relating to the powers of County Auditors.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That Section 194 of Chapter 8 of the General Statutes, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 194. Said Board have full power to examine and settle all accounts of the receipts and expenditures of the county, and shall have the care of the county property and the management of the county funds and business, except in cases otherwise provided for; but shall exercise no other powers than such as are given by law. Such Board shall, in addition to the powers above mentioned, have power to set off, organize and vacate towns, and change the boundaries thereof in their respective counties, to designate the time and place of holding the next election therein, and make all necessary orders for the disposition and preservation of the records of any town which may be vacated by said Board. *Provided*, That no town shall be vacated, nor any town with an area of thirty-six sections or less be divided or have any part stricken therefrom without first submitting the question to a vote of the electors of the town, except in the cases provided for in section two (2) of chapter ten of said General Statutes.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 4, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section Forty-Four of Chapter Thirteen of the General Statutes of Minnesota, relating to fees and mileage of County Commissioners.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. Section forty-four of chapter thirteen of the General Statutes of Minnesota, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Every such commissioner shall receive three dollars for each day employed, and ten cents per mile for every mile traveled in going to or returning from the place of holding and deciding such appeal, to be paid by the party appealing when the determination of the supervisors is sustained, but if reversed to be paid by the town.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved Feb. 24, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Subdivision Ninth of Section Fifteen of Chapter Ten of the General Statutes, relating to the power of Electors at annual town meetings.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That subdivision ninth of section 15, of the General Statutes be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Ninth. To vote to raise such sums of money for the repair and construction of roads and bridges, for the support of the poor, and for other necessary town charges as they deem expedient; *provided*, that they may at their annual town meeting direct such an amount of the poll and road tax of the town to be expended on the highways in an adjoining town as they deem conducive to the interests of the town, and the tax shall be expended under the direction of the supervisors of the town furnishing the same; *provided further*, that where more than one entire congressional township is included within an organized town, the poll and road tax raised within the limits of each of such congressional townships, shall be expended within such congressional township, unless raised to be expended outside of such organized town, in an adjoining town.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section 124 of Chapter Eight of the General Statutes, relating to County Auditors.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section one hundred and twenty-four (124) of chapter eight (8) of the General Statutes of the State be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 124. The salary of the County Auditor shall be regulated by the board of the taxable property in their respective counties as fixed by the State Board of Equalization for the preceding year, as follows: In counties where the amount of taxable property does not exceed the sum of one and one-half million dollars, they shall be entitled to receive six mills on each dollar of the first one hundred thousand dollars; and one mill on each dollar of all amounts in excess of said last named sum, and less than two hundred thousand dollars; one-third of one mill on each dollar on all amounts in excess of said last named sum. In counties where the value of the taxable property for the preceding year as fixed by the said board of equalization exceeds the sum of one and one-half million dollars, the County Auditor shall be entitled to receive five mills on each dollar of the first one hundred thousand dollars, one-half of one mill on all amounts in excess of said sum and less than two million dollars, and one-fifth of one mill on each dollar of all sums in excess thereof. The Board of County Commissioners of each county where clerk hire is necessary in the County Auditor's office, shall provide for the payment of the same. But no County Auditor shall receive any other fee or reward whatever for his services; *provided*, that no County Auditor shall receive more than twenty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars per annum for his personal services nor less than one hundred (\$100) dollars.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section One Hundred and Thirty-Four of Chapter Eight of the General Statutes, relating to the duties of County Treasurers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section one hundred and thirty-four of chapter eight of the General Statutes be amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 134. The County Treasurer shall on the last day of February, the fifteenth day of June and the tenth day of October, in each year, make by the Auditor of the County, and on the fifteenth day of March, and the first day of November, in each year, the County Treasurer shall send by express from the nearest public express office, to the State Treasurer, all moneys by him received for State purposes, according to the last certificate of his settlement with the Auditor of his county, and the State Auditor is hereby authorized to draw upon any county treasurer in favor of the Treasurer of State, for any moneys in the county treasury, belonging to the State, at any time after the June settlement in each year, as herein provided for, and the County Treasurer shall pay such drafts to an amount equal to the June certificate of settlement with the Auditor of his county, and the State Treasurer shall give duplicate receipts for the money so paid, one of which he shall deposit with the State Auditor, and the County Treasurer is hereby required to pay over to any town, city or school district treasurer any money found to be in the county treasury at either of the within named settlements, belonging to any town, city, road or special school fund, or other fund, in the manner required by law, and to take duplicate receipts therefor, one of which he shall transmit by mail, on or before the fifteenth day of March next thereafter to the clerk or recorder of the town, city or school district, to which treasurer the money is paid, which receipt shall be filed and safely kept by said clerk or recorder in his office.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section 4, Chapter 19, of the General Laws of 1888, entitled an act to appropriate moneys for agricultural societies.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 4. The treasurer of any county agricultural society, on making application to the State Auditor for any moneys appropriated under this act, shall have upon his order for the same, the certificate of the register of deeds of the county wherein such society is located, to the effect that said society has performed the requirements of section three (3), chapter twenty-one (21), general laws of Minnesota, for 1887, of an act entitled an act to provide for the organization of agricultural societies. *Provided further*, that said order shall be accompanied by a certificate from the secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society, to the effect that such county society has prior to the 10th day of July preceding such appropriation, made a report to the said secretary of the State Agricultural Society, of their transactions of the year previous.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to authorize the District Courts to change the names of persons and confer heirship.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That whenever any person or persons or head of a family, for any cause, desire a change of the name of such person, persons or family, such clerk, clerks or persons or head of family may apply to the District Court of the County in which he, she or they or any one or more of them may reside, for an order to change such name. Such application may be by petition, setting forth the cause or reason for the proposed change of name and the particular change thereof desired to be made. If the applicant be of full age and the change of name proposed shall apply to himself only, no notice of such application need be given. If the application be made for the change of the name of an adopted child under full age, notice must be made by the person adopting such child, and notice thereof shall be given to the father, mother or guardian, if

any, of such child, at least ten days before such application shall be made.

If the Court shall find the cause or reason for such change of name to be true and sufficient to make the same desirable to the person whose name is to be changed, the Court shall make and sign an order for such change of name, and the petition, papers, and order shall be filed on record in the office of the clerk of the District Court of the county in which the application is made. And the Court may, if the applicant shall in the petition ask it, declare an adopted child whose name is changed to that of the applicant an heir at law of such applicant.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to protect the people of Minnesota from quackery and imposition in the practice of medicine and surgery.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person within the limits of said State who has not attended at least two full courses of instruction, and graduated in some school of medicine either in the United States or some foreign country, or who cannot produce a certificate of qualification from some state, district, or county medical society, and is not a person of good moral character, to practice medicine, in any of its departments, or perform any surgical operation for reward or compensation, or attempt to practice medicine in any of its departments, or perform, or attempt to perform, any surgical operation upon any person within the limits of said State, in violation of section 1 of this act, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, for such offense, and upon conviction for a second violation of this act, shall, in addition to the above fine, be imprisoned for the term of thirty days; and in no case where in this act shall have been violated, shall any person so violating, receive a compensation for services rendered. *Provided*, nothing herein contained shall in any way be construed to apply to any person practicing dentistry exclusively.

Sec. 2. Any person who fails or neglects, on or before the first day of October, 1889, to file in the office of the clerk of the district court of the county in which he resides or keeps his office, a sworn copy of the certificate or diploma of some school or college of medicine, that he has attended at least two full courses, and graduated at such school, or a sworn copy of a certificate of qualification of some state, district or county medical society, shall be permitted in any court of this State to sue for or recover any compensation for his services rendered, and the failure to file a sworn copy of such diploma or certificate, as above provided, shall not be a defense in such suit.

Sec. 3. Any person studying medicine with a preceptor, qualified as in this act provided, shall be deemed to be in compliance with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of October, 1889.

Approved March 9, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section 28 of Chapter 70 of the General Statutes relating to the fees of printer.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section 28 of chapter 70 of the General Statutes be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said section 28 the following:

And for the purpose of computing the sum of nine (9) of the General Statutes be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said section 28 the following:

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section Two of Chapter Nine of the General Statutes in relation to vacancies.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter nine (9) of the General Statutes be amended by adding thereto the following subdivision:

"8th. The death of the person elected or appointed to fill a vacancy or for a full term before he qualifies or his death before the time when by law he should enter upon the duties of the office to which he was elected or appointed, in which case the vacancy shall be deemed to take place at the time when the term of the predecessor of such deceased person would have expired if such death had not happened.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT concerning the publication and distribution of the laws relating to township organization and the duties of town officers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter nine (9) of the General Statutes be amended by adding thereto the following subdivision:

"8th. The death of the person elected or appointed to fill a vacancy or for a full term before he qualifies or his death before the time when by law he should enter upon the duties of the office to which he was elected or appointed, in which case the vacancy shall be deemed to take place at the time when the term of the predecessor of such deceased person would have expired if such death had not happened.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to prohibit the setting of traps or spring guns, rifles, or other deadly weapons.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. The setting of a so called trap or spring gun, pistol, rifle or other deadly weapon in this State, is hereby prohibited and declared to be unlawful.

Sec. 2. Any person offending against the foregoing section shall be punished as follows:

If no injury results therefrom to any person, the person so offending shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for the proper county, for a period not less than six (6) months, or by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or both the same, at the discretion of the Court.

If death results to any human being from the discharge of a weapon so unlawfully set, the person so offending shall upon conviction thereof, be punished by imprisonment in the State prison for a term not exceeding fifteen, nor less than ten years.

If any person is injured, but not fatally, by the discharge of any weapon so unlawfully set, the person so offending, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State prison for a term not exceeding five years, in the discretion of the Court.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved Feb. 27, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Chapter 12 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota, relating to roads and bridges.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. Section 58, of chapter 12, of the General Statutes, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

Section 58. The same powers and duties as and by this chapter conferred and imposed upon town supervisors, are also conferred and imposed upon the city councils of the several cities throughout this State; and in addition, it shall be the duty of the city council to appoint some qualified elector of each road district in the city to be overseer of roads for such district, and the overseers of roads, the city clerks, the justices of the peace, and the constables of the several cities of the State, shall have and exercise the same powers, and perform the same duties, and be subject to the same liabilities as are in and by this chapter conferred and imposed upon the town overseers of roads, town clerks, town justices of the peace and town constables; and all the provisions of this chapter shall be applicable to the several cities in this State, unless otherwise provided for in their several charters, subject, however, to the reservation made in the succeeding section, in regard to incorporated cities.

Sec. 2. Section 59 of said chapter is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

Section 59. If twenty-four freeholders of any county containing one hundred or more legal voters, and twelve freeholders of any county containing less than one hundred legal voters, petition the board of commissioners of such county for the location, establishment, change or vacation of any highway running into more than one town of said county, "and not within the limits of any incorporated city, whether such highway is connected or to be connected with other roads or not, setting forth in such petition the beginning, course and termination of the highway proposed to be located, established, changed or vacated, together with the names of the owners of the lands, known through which the same may pass, the holder of such county shall lay said petition before the board of county commissioners at their next session thereafter.

Sec. 3. All acts and parts of acts, conferring the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 9, 1889.

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section One (1) of Article Nine (9) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. The following amendment of section one (1) article nine (9) of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota be proposed to the people of said State, that is to say, that the said section be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. All taxes to be raised in this State shall be as nearly equal as may be, and all property on which taxes are to be levied shall have a cash valuation and be equalized and uniform throughout the State. *Provided*, that the Legislature may by general law or special act, authorize municipal corporations to levy assessments for local improvements upon the property fronting upon such improvements, or upon the property to be benefited by such improvements, without regard to a cash valuation, and in such manner as the Legislature may prescribe.

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person within the limits of said State who has not attended at least two full courses of instruction, and graduated in some school of medicine either in the United States or some foreign country, or who cannot produce a certificate of qualification from some state, district, or county medical society, and is not a person of good moral character, to practice medicine, in any of its departments, or perform any surgical operation for reward or compensation, or attempt to practice medicine in any of its departments, or perform, or attempt to perform, any surgical operation upon any person within the limits of said State, in violation of section 1 of this act, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, for such offense, and upon conviction for a second violation of this act, shall, in addition to the above fine, be imprisoned for the term of thirty days; and in no case where in this act shall have been violated, shall any person so violating, receive a compensation for services rendered. *Provided*, nothing herein contained shall in any way be construed to apply to any person practicing dentistry exclusively.

Sec. 2. Any person who fails or neglects, on or before the first day of October, 1889, to file in the office of the clerk of the district court of the county in which he resides or keeps his office, a sworn copy of the certificate or diploma of some school or college of medicine, that he has attended at least two full courses, and graduated at such school, or a sworn copy of a certificate of qualification of some state, district or county medical society, shall be permitted in any court of this State to sue for or recover any compensation for his services rendered, and the failure to file a sworn copy of such diploma or certificate, as above provided, shall not be a defense in such suit.

Sec. 3. Any person studying medicine with a preceptor, qualified as in this act provided, shall be deemed to be in compliance with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of October, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section 28 of Chapter 70 of the General Statutes relating to the fees of printer.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section 28 of chapter 70 of the General Statutes be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said section 28 the following:

And for the purpose of computing the sum of nine (9) of the General Statutes be and the same is hereby amended by adding to said section 28 the following:

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section Two of Chapter Nine of the General Statutes in relation to vacancies.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section two (2) of chapter nine (9) of the General Statutes be amended by adding thereto the following subdivision:

"8th. The death of the person elected or appointed to fill a vacancy or for a full term before he qualifies or his death before the time when by law he should enter upon the duties of the office to which he was elected or appointed, in which case the vacancy shall be deemed to take place at the time when the term of the predecessor of such deceased person would have expired if such death had not happened.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to prohibit the setting of traps or spring guns, rifles, or other deadly weapons.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. The setting of a so called trap or spring gun, pistol, rifle or other deadly weapon in this State, is hereby prohibited and declared to be unlawful.

Sec. 2. Any person offending against the foregoing section shall be punished as follows:

If no injury results therefrom to any person, the person so offending shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail for the proper county, for a period not less than six (6) months, or by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or both the same, at the discretion of the Court.

If death results to any human being from the discharge of a weapon so unlawfully set, the person so offending shall upon conviction thereof, be punished by imprisonment in the State prison for a term not exceeding fifteen, nor less than ten years.

If any person is injured, but not fatally, by the discharge of any weapon so unlawfully set, the person so offending, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State prison for a term not exceeding five years, in the discretion of the Court.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved Feb. 27, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Chapter 12 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota, relating to roads and bridges.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. Section 58, of chapter 12, of the General Statutes, is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

Section 58. The same powers and duties as and by this chapter conferred and imposed upon town supervisors, are also conferred and imposed upon the city councils of the several cities throughout this State; and in addition, it shall be the duty of the city council to appoint some qualified elector of each road district in the city to be overseer of roads for such district, and the overseers of roads, the city clerks, the justices of the peace, and the constables of the several cities of the State, shall have and exercise the same powers, and perform the same duties, and be subject to the same liabilities as are in and by this chapter conferred and imposed upon the town overseers of roads, town clerks, town justices of the peace and town constables; and all the provisions of this chapter shall be applicable to the several cities in this State, unless otherwise provided for in their several charters, subject, however, to the reservation made in the succeeding section, in regard to incorporated cities.

Sec. 2. Section 59 of said chapter is hereby amended, so as to read as follows:

Section 59. If twenty-four freeholders of any county containing one hundred or more legal voters, and twelve freeholders of any county containing less than one hundred legal voters, petition the board of commissioners of such county for the location, establishment, change or vacation of any highway running into more than one town of said county, "and not within the limits of any incorporated city, whether such highway is connected or to be connected with other roads or not, setting forth in such petition the beginning, course and termination of the highway proposed to be located, established, changed or vacated, together with the names of the owners of the lands, known through which the same may pass, the holder of such county shall lay said petition before the board of county commissioners at their next session thereafter.

Sec. 3. All acts and parts of acts, conferring the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 9, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section 124 of Chapter Eight of the General Statutes, relating to County Auditors.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section one hundred and twenty-four (124) of chapter eight (8) of the General Statutes of the State be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 124. The salary of the County Auditor shall be regulated by the board of the taxable property in their respective counties as fixed by the State Board of Equalization for the preceding year, as follows: In counties where the amount of taxable property does not exceed the sum of one and one-half million dollars, they shall be entitled to receive six mills on each dollar of the first one hundred thousand dollars; and one mill on each dollar of all amounts in excess of said last named sum, and less than two hundred thousand dollars; one-third of one mill on each dollar on all amounts in excess of said last named sum. In counties where the value of the taxable property for the preceding year as fixed by the said board of equalization exceeds the sum of one and one-half million dollars, the County Auditor shall be entitled to receive five mills on each dollar of the first one hundred thousand dollars, one-half of one mill on all amounts in excess of said sum and less than two million dollars, and one-fifth of one mill on each dollar of all sums in excess thereof. The Board of County Commissioners of each county where clerk hire is necessary in the County Auditor's office, shall provide for the payment of the same. But no County Auditor shall receive any other fee or reward whatever for his services; *provided*, that no County Auditor shall receive more than twenty-five hundred (\$2500) dollars per annum for his personal services nor less than one hundred (\$100) dollars.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to amend Section One Hundred and Thirty-Four of Chapter Eight of the General Statutes, relating to the duties of County Treasurers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That section one hundred and thirty-four of chapter eight of the General Statutes be amended so as to read as follows:

SECTION 134. The County Treasurer shall on the last day of February, the fifteenth day of June and the tenth day of October, in each year, make by the Auditor of the County, and on the fifteenth day of March, and the first day of November, in each year, the County Treasurer shall send by express from the nearest public express office, to the State Treasurer, all moneys by him received for State purposes, according to the last certificate of his settlement with the Auditor of his county, and the State Auditor is hereby authorized to draw upon any county treasurer in favor of the Treasurer of State, for any moneys in the county treasury, belonging to the State, at any time after the June settlement in each year, as herein provided for, and the County Treasurer shall pay such drafts to an amount equal to the June certificate of settlement with the Auditor of his county, and the State Treasurer shall give duplicate receipts for the money so paid, one of which he shall deposit with the State Auditor, and the County Treasurer is hereby required to pay over to any town, city or school district treasurer any money found to be in the county treasury at either of the within named settlements, belonging to any town, city, road or special school fund, or other fund, in the manner required by law, and to take duplicate receipts therefor, one of which he shall transmit by mail, on or before the fifteenth day of March next thereafter to the clerk or recorder of the town, city or school district, to which treasurer the money is paid, which receipt shall be filed and safely kept by said clerk or recorder in his office.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to authorize the District Courts to change the names of persons and confer heirship.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That whenever any person or persons or head of a family, for any cause, desire a change of the name of such person, persons or family, such clerk, clerks or persons or head of family may apply to the District Court of the County in which he, she or they or any one or more of them may reside, for an order to change such name. Such application may be by petition, setting forth the cause or reason for the proposed change of name and the particular change thereof desired to be made. If the applicant be of full age and the change of name proposed shall apply to himself only, no notice of such application need be given. If the application be made for the change of the name of an adopted child under full age, notice must be made by the person adopting such child, and notice thereof shall be given to the father, mother or guardian, if

any, of such child, at least ten days before such application shall be made.

If the Court shall find the cause or reason for such change of name to be true and sufficient to make the same desirable to the person whose name is to be changed, the Court shall make and sign an order for such change of name, and the petition, papers, and order shall be filed on record in the office of the clerk of the District Court of the county in which the application is made. And the Court may, if the applicant shall in the petition ask it, declare an adopted child whose name is changed to that of the applicant an heir at law of such applicant.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 5, 1889.

AN ACT to protect the people of Minnesota from quackery and imposition in the practice of medicine and surgery.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person within the limits of said State who has not attended at least two full courses of instruction, and graduated in some school of medicine either in the United States or some foreign country, or who cannot produce a certificate of qualification from some state, district, or county medical society, and is not a person of good moral character, to practice medicine, in any of its departments, or perform any surgical operation for reward or compensation, or attempt to practice medicine in any of its departments, or perform, or attempt to perform, any surgical operation upon any person within the limits of said State, in violation of section 1 of this act, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not less than fifty dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, for such offense, and upon conviction for a second violation of this act, shall, in addition to the above fine, be imprisoned for the term of thirty days; and in no case where in this act shall have been violated, shall any person so violating, receive a compensation for services rendered. *Provided*, nothing herein contained shall in any way be construed to apply to any person practicing dentistry exclusively.

Sec. 2. Any person who fails or neglects, on or before the first day of October, 1889, to file in the office of the clerk of the district court of the county in which he resides or keeps his office, a sworn copy of the certificate or diploma of some school or college of medicine, that he has attended at least two full courses, and graduated at such school, or a sworn copy of a certificate of qualification of some state, district or county medical society, shall be permitted in any court of this State to sue for or recover any compensation for his services rendered, and the failure to file a sworn copy of such diploma or certificate, as above provided, shall not be a defense in such suit.

Sec. 3. Any person studying medicine with a preceptor, qualified as in this act provided, shall be deemed to be in compliance with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of October, 1889.

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